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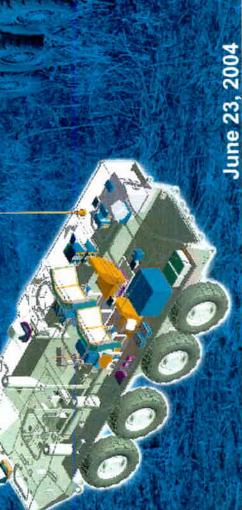






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Project teams directed to collaborate

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MMEV TDP Project

- Core Capabilities
- Immersive displays with SA

Army of Tomorrow/Future Aids, ATR, DAS, Adaptive

2010-2015

Camo

Multi-Mission Weapon System Direct, Indirect, BLOS and Air

Defence

Hardware

2008-2012

Unmanned Ground & Air Vehicles

> MMEV TDP 2003-2006

Technologies & Experiments: **Evaluations of Candidate**

Crew Performance 2000-2002 Future Army

Coalition Operations with TARDEC and ARDEC Model Experiments 1 & 2 Joint Operations

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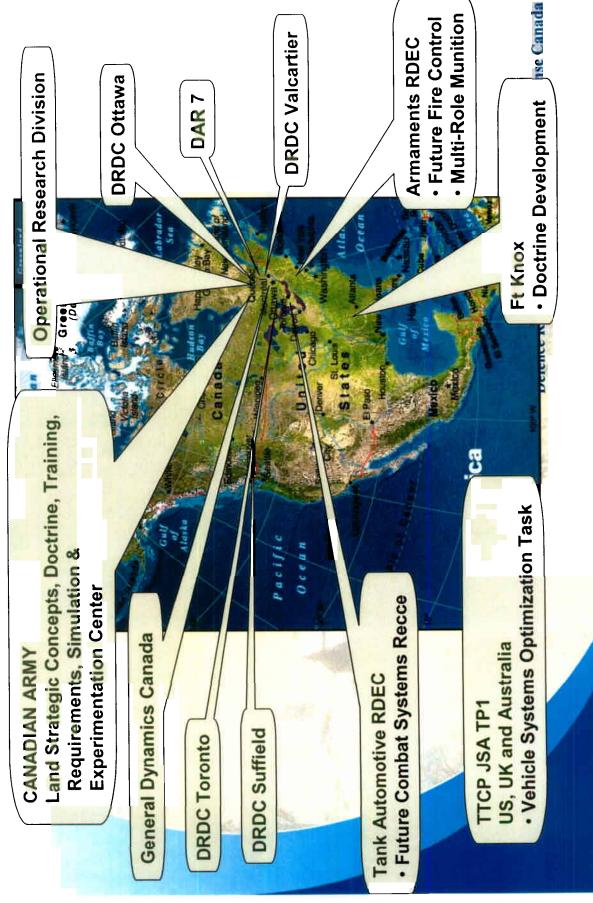


MMEV Goals

- Predict battlefield effectiveness of Multi-Mission capability in Complex and Open Terrain
- Assess ability of a two and three-man crew to operate an MMEV
- Determine effectiveness of individual technologies
- Refine the Future Army model (Future Army Model **Experiment 3)**
- Identify cost, schedule, and risk drivers
- Explore interoperability issues and technological implications of the Future Combat Systems project

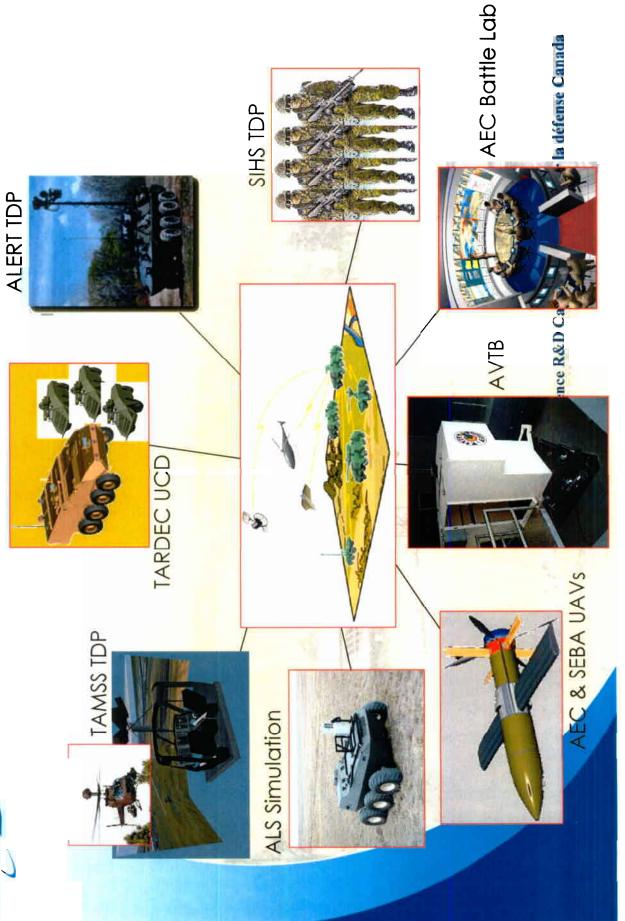


Direct MMEV Participants





MMEV HLA Build 3 Federation





TARDEC Data Exchange Agreement with Canada



Overview

- TARDEC entered Soldier-Machine Interface Data Exchange Agreement with Canada in 2002
- · Each group has unique approach to SMI development
- Evaluation of unique features would further each countries development

FY03-04

- Comparison of CAT with Multi-Mission Effects Vehicle (MMEV)
- Build relevant scenarios/doctrine
- Integrate and execute scenarios

JAMBL Fort Knox Assistance

- (Scouting/engagement mission, handoff of targets, route adjustment for robots) Provided evaluation on Canadian scenario coalition doctrine
- Provide Soldier CAT crew for experiments
- (4 soldiers for 3 weeks in Ottawa, January, 2004)



TARDEC Phase I Objectives



- Begin to address joint coalition support between US and Canadian troops
- Evaluate target handoffs from CAT/ARV and Canadian MMEV
- Engage targets from handoff
- Evaluate the integration and interoperation of Canadian UGVs and ARVs
- Evaluate interoperation with Canadian Helicopters, air support is used to:
 - 1. Help position ARVs on the battlefield
- 2. Detect targets and direct ARVs into the target area
- Evaluate the CAT/MMEV ability to work collaboratively
- Compare the performance of the MMEV SMI against CAT SMI

Ranadian Phase I Objectives

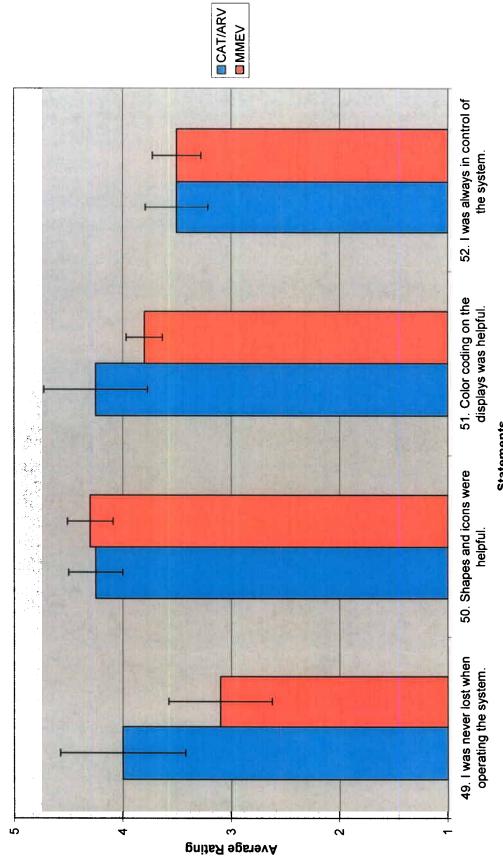
- Evaluate MMEV ability to receive direct and indirect fire targets from US forward observers and then engage those targets.
- Evaluate integration and interoperation of a Canadian unit working along side an US unit with forward placed ARVs.
- Ability to navigate and place the unmanned systems
- Battlefield combat identification
- Detection of targets
- · Evaluate MMEV ability to work collaboratively with the US CAT vehicle.
- Compare the performance of the MMEV WMI with the CAT WMI.
- · Explore command relationships between both countries.
- · Address coalition support between US and Canadian troops.



TARDEC Phase I Results



Overall Interaction



Statements



MMEV Phase II Objectives

- Explore 'network centric' operational concepts
- System performance
- Individual and crew workload
- Situational awareness
- Evaluate the ability to interact with UAVs and UGVs
- Effectiveness of unmanned sensor information
- Evaluate tactics, techniques, and procedures
- Evaluate Operator-Machine Interfaces
- Evaluate in urban terrain and in Operations Other Than War
- Enhance distributed simulation experiments with coalition forces